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USMISSION FOR USDEL AT IBRD MEETING - EGYPT

E.O. 11652: NA
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SUBJ: EGYPTIAN PRESS ON CONSULTATIVE GROUP

1. CAIRO PRESS OF MAY 8 - 10 HAS BEEN DEVOTING CONSIDERABLE
AND UNDERSTANDABLE ATTENTION TO CONSULTATIVE GROUP MEETING,
MOST OF IT CONSISTING OF OPTIMISTIC FORECASTS OF POSSIBLE
FINANCIAL RESULTS. HEAVY STRESS IS ALSO PLACED ON FACT BOTH
IBRD AND IMF REPORTS HAVE CERTIFIED BASIC GOOD HEALTH OF ECONOMY
AND APPROPRIATENESS OF MEASURES TAKEN TO DEAL WITH CURRENT
PROBLEMS.

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2. ALL PAPERS MAY 10 EMPHASIZE IMPORTANCE OF PROJECT LIST WHICH
GOEDEL WILL PLACE BEFORE CG, WITH A TOTAL VALUE OF LE 9
BILLION. AL AHRAH'S ECONOMIC REPORTER, FILING FROM PARIS,
SAYS PRESENTATION AND "FULL VISUALIZATION" OF PROJECTS IS
ONE OF THREE MAJOR ROLES OF EGYPTIAN DELEGATION, IN ORDER FOR
"WORLD OF THE RICH" (HIS DEFINITION OF CG) TO CHOOSE

THE PROJECTS TO WHICH THEY WILL CONTRIBUTE.

3. OTHER TWO ROLES ARE DESCRIBED IN AHRAH AS BRIEFING CONFERENCE ON EFFORTS TO RESTORE FINANCIAL EQUILIBRIUM PRIOR TO A VIGOROUS DRIVE TOWARD PROGRESS AND DEVELOPEMNT; AND TO ACQUAINT PARTICIPANTS WITH VARIOUS PRACTICAL MEASURES, ALREADY CERTIFIED BY BANK AND FUND, UNDERTAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THEM.

4. COMMENT: PRESS, AS IS GENERALLY THE CASE, IS RATHER UNINFORMED AS TO PURPOSE OF CG, AND HAS EVIDENTLY ONLY RECENTLY DISCOVERED EXISTENCE OF VERY THIN "PROJECT" LIST. DESCRIPTION OF SOME OF THE PRIORITY PROJECT AREAS (E.G., LAND RECLAMATION AND AGRICULTURE, SPINNING AND WEAVING, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY IRON AND PHOSPHATES) GIVES INDICATION THAT COPIES HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE.

5. WE HAVE IMPRESSION THAT REALISM OF EGYPT'S DELEGATES AS TO WHAT CAN BE EXPECTED FROM PARIS SESSION IS NOT SHARED BY THOSE WHO HAVE LESS FAMILIARITY WITH SITUATION, AND THAT GENERAL PUBLIC, AS WAS EXPECTED, IS NOW BEING ENCOURAGED TO ANTICIPATE CONSIDERABLY MORE THAN IS LIKELY TO EMERGE.

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